

SENATE RESOLUTION 243—CONGRATULATING THE UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA-LAS VEGAS MEN'S GOLF TEAM ON WINNING THE TEAM'S FIRST NATIONAL COLLEGIATE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION CHAMPIONSHIP

Mr. BRYAN (for himself and Mr. REID) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to:

S. RES. 243

Whereas the University of Nevada Las Vegas Rebels men's golf team shot four rounds of golf at a total of 1118 strokes for a total of 34 under par, to beat the second place Clemson Tigers by three strokes;

Whereas this score of 34 under par set a tournament record by 11 strokes;

Whereas Chris Berry shot a total of 272 strokes for 16 under par to finish second in individual competition, to help ensure the championship for the Rebels;

Whereas the University of Nevada Las Vegas men's collegiate golf team has displayed outstanding dedication, teamwork, and sportsmanship throughout the course of the season in achieving collegiate golf's highest honor; and

Whereas the Rebels have brought pride and honor to the State of Nevada: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate—

(1) commends the University of Nevada Las Vegas for winning the 1998 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I men's collegiate national golf championship;

(2) commends Chris Berry, for his second place individual finish at the National Collegiate Athletic Association golf championship;

(3) recognizes the achievements of all the players, coaches, and staff who were instrumental in helping the University of Nevada Las Vegas win the 1998 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I men's collegiate national golf championship and invites them to the Capitol to be honored in an appropriate manner to be determined;

(4) requests that the President recognize the accomplishments and achievements of the 1998 University of Nevada Las Vegas Rebels golf team and invite the team to Washington, D.C. for the traditional White House ceremony held for national championship teams; and

(5) directs the Secretary of the Senate to make available enrolled copies of this resolution to the University of Nevada Las Vegas for appropriate display and to transmit an enrolled copy to each member of the 1998 University of Nevada Las Vegas National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I men's collegiate national championship golf team.

Mr. BRYAN. Mr. President, I am proud to take the floor today to commend and congratulate the University of Nevada-Las Vegas men's golf team on winning the team's first National Collegiate Athletic Association championship. This remarkable team of student-athletes acquitted themselves with great distinction this past week as they achieved this singular honor for themselves, for the community, and for the State of Nevada.

This accomplishment is further embellished by the fact the team shot 4 rounds of golf 34 under par, which set a tournament record by 11 strokes.

Chris Berry, one of the team members, shot a total of 272 for 16 under

par, to finish second in the individual competition. What makes Chris' success even all the more noteworthy is that Chris had been involved in tournament play previous years where he had the misfortune of finishing at the other end and he, through determination and hard work, achieved this remarkable athletic achievement.

Congratulations should also go to the rest of his teammates, Bill Lunde, Charley Hoffman, Jeremy Anderson and Scott Lander. Bill Lunde and Jeremy Anderson made the All American college golf team. This golf team has had the good fortune of being under the direction of an extraordinarily gifted coach as well. Dwaine Knight has placed the university's golf program on the national map. They have, in recent years, been top competitors, but not until this year did they achieve the ultimate, and that is the collegiate championship. Coach Knight is ably assisted by Assistant Coach Casey Whalen.

This year, under their coaching staff, the Rebels have won seven tournaments. The only other sports team in UNLV's history to attain national collegiate championship was in 1990, when the men's basketball program was so honored in the Final Four, in Denver, CO.

UNLV completed its season No. 1 in the polls, and I have encouraged the President to invite this extraordinarily able student athletic team to come to the White House and be appropriately recognized. The President himself is a golfer of note and distinction, and I am sure these fine young men are going to be able to offer a few tips the President might take advantage of to improve his own golf game.

AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED

THE NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 1999

THURMOND AMENDMENTS NOS. 2447-2449

(Ordered to lie on the table.)

Mr. THURMOND submitted three amendments intended to be proposed by him to the bill (S. 2057) to authorize appropriations for the fiscal year 1999 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, and for other purposes; as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 2447

On page 64, strike out lines 7 through 23, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

(3) The waiver authority under paragraph (1) does not apply to the limitation in subsection (d) or the limitation in section 2208(l)(3) of title 10, United States Code (as added by subsection (e)).

(d) FISCAL YEAR 1999 LIMITATION ON ADVANCE BILLINGS.—(1) The total amount of the

advance billings rendered or imposed for the working-capital funds of the Department of Defense and the Defense Business Operations Fund in fiscal year 1999—

(A) for the Department of the Navy, may not exceed \$500,000,000; and

(B) for the Department of the Air Force, may not exceed \$500,000,000.

(2) In paragraph (1), the term "advance billing" has the meaning given such term in section 2208(l) of title 10, United States Code.

(e) PERMANENT LIMITATION ON ADVANCE BILLINGS.—(1) Section 2208(l) of title 10, United States Code, is amended—

(A) by redesignating paragraph (3) as paragraph (4); and

(B) by inserting after paragraph (2) the following new paragraph (3):

"(3) The total amount of the advance billings rendered or imposed for all working-capital funds of the Department of Defense in a fiscal year may not exceed \$1,000,000,000."

(2) Section 2208(l)(3) of such title, as added by paragraph (1), applies to fiscal years after fiscal year 1999.

AMENDMENT No. 2448

Beginning on page 400, strike out line 11 and all that follows through page 401, line 12, and insert in lieu thereof the following: year 1999, \$150,000,000 by the end of fiscal year 2000, \$200,000,000 by the end of fiscal year 2001, and \$250,000,000 by the end of fiscal year 2002.

(b) LIMITATION ON DISPOSAL QUANTITY.—The total quantities of materials authorized for disposal by the President under subsection (a) may not exceed the amounts set forth in the following table:

Authorized Stockpile Disposals

Material for disposal	Quantity
Chromium Metal—EL	8,511 short tons
Columbium Carbide Powder	21,372 pounds contained
Columbium Ferro High Carbon	249,395 pounds contained
Columbium Concentrates	1,733,454 pounds contained
Chromium Ferroalloy	92,000 short tons
Diamond, Stones	3,000,000 carats
Germanium Metal	28,198 kilograms
Indium	14,248 troy ounces
Palladium	1,227,831 troy ounces
Platinum	439,887 troy ounces
Tantalum Carbide Powder	22,681 pounds contained
Tantalum Metal Powder	50,000 pounds contained
Tantalum Minerals	1,751,364 pounds contained
Tantalum Oxide	122,730 pounds contained
Tungsten Ferro	2,024,143 pounds
Tungsten Carbide Powder	2,024,143 pounds
Tungsten Metal Powder	1,898,009 pounds
Tungsten Ores & Concentrates	76,358,230 pounds.

(c) MINIMIZATION OF DISRUPTION AND LOSS.—The President may not dispose of materials under subsection (a) to the extent that the disposal will result in—

(1) undue disruption of the usual markets of producers, processors, and consumers of the materials proposed for disposal; or

(2) avoidable loss to the United States.

(d) RELATIONSHIP TO OTHER DISPOSAL AUTHORITY.—The disposal authority provided in subsection (a) is new disposal authority and is in addition to, and shall not affect, any other disposal authority provided by law regarding the materials specified in such subsection.

(e) AUTHORIZATION OF SALE.—The authority provided by this section to dispose of materials contained in the National Defense Stockpile so as to result in receipts specified in subsection (a) by the end of fiscal year 1999 shall be effective only to the extent provided in advance in appropriation Acts.

AMENDMENT No. 2449

Strike section 1013 of the bill and insert the following: